

EXHIBIT A

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION**

PATRICK ALLEN HANSFORD, DBA)	Case No. 1:12-cv-824
PATRICK HANSFORD)	
ASSOCIATES,)	
)	
PLAINTIFF,)	
v.)	JUDGE TIMOTHY S. BLACK
)	
ALK KAISER GROUP, LLC, et al.,)	
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DEFENDANTS.)	

STIPULATED DISMISSAL

The parties, through their respective attorneys, hereby stipulate to the dismissal with prejudice of this action and all claims therein, each Party to bear its own costs, expenses, and attorneys fees. The Court shall retain jurisdiction to enforce the terms and conditions of the Settlement Agreement and Mutual Release effective as of the 31 day of December, 2012.

Dated December 31, 2012

Respectfully Submitted,

Respectfully submitted,

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(per email consent)

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 3rd day of January 2013, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing to the parties registered with the CM/ECF.

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